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L. s. = letter signed, the signature only in the handwriting of the sender.

A. D. s. }
 Doc. s. } = as above, reading document for letter.

FIRST DAY'S SALE.

LOT

- 1 CATHERINE II (Empress of Russia) L. s. 1 p. folio, *April 24, 1783, fine signature*
- 2 CATHERINE II of Russia, Doc. s. on vellum, 1772, *with finely engraved border*
- 3 CATHERINE DE MEDICIS (Queen) L. s. 1 p. folio, *Janvier, 1584, to M. de Gronugny, with seal*
- 4 CHARLES V (Emperor) L. s. as King of Spain, 1 p. folio, to the Comte d'Aguilar
- 5 CONDÉ (Louis de Bourbon, Prince de) "Le Grand Condé," A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Février, 1648*
- 6 CLAUDE DE FRANCE, Queen of Francis I, L. s. 1 p. 4to, *scarce*
- 7 HADEN (Sir Seymour) Etcher, A. L. s. 3 pp. 8vo; L. s. 2½ pp. 8vo, of his son, 25 *Feb. 1904* (2)
- 8 COROT (C.) French Painter, A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, *March, 1870.*—
 CONSTABLE (J.) A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *March 15th, 1825, interesting letter, stating that the King of France has conferred a gold medal on him* (2)
- 9 CRUIKSHANK (G.) A. L. s. 1 p. 12mo, *Decr. 29th, 1843, to Bogue, referring to the "Comic Almanacks"*
- 10 EUGÉNIE (Empress of the French) A. L. s. 1½ pp. 8vo, *Chislehurst, 16 Novembre (no year)*

- 11 EUGÉNIE (Empress) A. L. s. 5 pp. 8vo, *St. Cloud, 1^{er} Novembre, 1860, fine and interesting letter*, speaking of her feeble health, her journey to England, and the news of the success of the French troops in China
- 12 CONSALVI (Cardinal) Secretary of Pius VII, A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to, *23 July, 1805*
- 13 CORNETO (Cardinal) Manuscript, 16 pp. 4to, *undated*, referring to England, etc.
- 14 DES CARTES (René) A. L. s. $\frac{1}{2}$ p. 4to, *no date, rare*
- 15 ELEONORA (wife of the Emperor Ferdinand III) Doc. s. 1672, *seal*
- 16 LOUIS XIV (King of France) Doc. s. 1652, *seal*.—LOUIS PHILIPPE (King) L. s. 1839.—MARIE AMÉLIE (Queen) L. s. 1847 (3)
- 17 FREDERICK (Emperor of Germany) as Crown Prince of Prussia, A. L. s. $2\frac{1}{2}$ pp. 8vo, *Breslau 2/4. 57, fine letter*, mentioning his father
- 18 GONZAGA (Cesare II, Duke of Guastalla) L. s. 1616, *seal*.—ELEONORA (Princess of Tuscany) Two A. L. s. *rare* (3)
- 19 GREGORY XIII (Pope) Doc. s. 1 p. folio (1580)
- 20 HENRY (Prince of Prussia) brother of King Frederick the Great, A. L. s. 4 pp. 4to, *19/8, 1792, historical letter* to General Henckel von Donnersmark
- 21 JOSEPH II (Emperor) brother of Marie Antoinette, L. s. $\frac{1}{2}$ p. 4to, *20 Decr. 1774*
- 22 LEO XII (Pope) A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, 1820, as Cardinal Vicar.—L. s. 1822, as Cardinal.—LETTER of the Choir Singers of the Sistine Chapel to him as Pope, with nine words autograph (3)
- 23 HEINE (Heinrich) German Poet, A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Paris, 23 June, 1844, to Hoffman & Campe, of Hamburg*
- 24 HENRY II (King of France) L. s. 1 p. folio, *Paris, 29 Février, 1556*
- 25 HENRY III (King of France) Two Royal Sign Manuals to Docs. on parchment, *17 Novembre, 1581, etc.* (2)
- 26 HENRY IV (King of France) Two Royal Sign Manuals to Docs. on parchment, *14 Decembre, 1589, etc.* (2)
- 27 HENRY IV (King of France) Royal Sign Manual to an important Doc. on parchment respecting the repayment of sums due by the Kings of France to the Kings of England, *28 Avril, 1610*
- 28 HENRIETTA MARIA (Queen) Signature (and one line Holograph) for the receipt of 1555 livres, 1 p. folio, *20 Février, 1625*
- 29 HENRY IV (King of Castile) father of Queen Isabella, L. s. 1 p. folio, *1467, to Carlos de Castro, with remains of seal, scarce*

- 30 HENRY IV (King of Castile) Doc. s. 1 p. obl. 4to, *Valladolid*, 4 April, 1466
- 31 INNOCENT XI (Pope) *Benedetto Odescalchi*, L. s. 1 p. folio, 15 Marco, 1679, to his Treasurer
- 32 INNOCENT XII (Pope) *Antonio Pignatelli*, L. s. 1 p. folio, 5 Maggio, 1696
- 33 JOSEPHINE (Empress) first wife of Napoleon, signature to a Power of Attorney, 1½ pp. 4to; s. also by her daughter, Hortense Beauharnais, *portrait*
- 34 JOSEPHINE (Empress) L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Paris*, 6 frimaire, an 10, to Count Otto, Commissaire of the French Government at London

A SERIES OF LETTERS ON POLITICAL AND SOCIAL TOPICS

FROM B. DISRAELI, EARL OF BEACONSFIELD, TO HIS SISTER.

- 35 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 6 pp. 8vo, to his Sister, *Saturday* (1839), saying that Lord Melbourne wishes to resign on the Lords' vote
- 36 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 4 pp. 8vo (1840), to the same; interesting letter on the fall of Acre and the triumph of Lord Palmerston
- 37 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. 4 pp. 8vo, *Carlton* (Aug. 8, 1840), on a visit, and remarks on a Queen Dowager
- 38 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 4 pp. 8vo (1840), to the same, on the Buckingham Fête, Bulwer's illness, and Lord Carrington's marriage
- 39 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 2 pp. 4to, *Nov.* 29, 1834, to the same, mentioning Lady Blessington, and that D'Orsay has taken his portrait
- 40 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 7 pp. 8vo (1839), to the same, on the last visit to Bradenham before his marriage. Says that he is so tired and busy that he cannot go down even to hear Lyndhurst's speech
- 41 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 4 pp. 4to (1839), to the same. Written from Tunbridge Wells, where he was staying after his marriage :

... I have only been on the Pantiles once & have not met L^d Mont-eagle, with whom I am very good friends, notwithstanding our skirmishing. There is scarcely anybody here that we know or care to know.
- 42 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 8 pp. 8vo, *H. of Commons*, *Monday* (1839), to the same. Fine and interesting letter, expressing his satisfaction at now being a M.P.; describes the animated scene at the House, and refers to a notice of some poems in the Bucks. papers

- 43 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 8 pp. 8vo, *Tuesday* (1839), to the same, on political topics and a division which is expected in the House
 - 44 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 3½ pp. 8vo, *Monday* (1839), to the same, respecting an "exquisite" dinner at Sir R. Peel's and the guests he met there
 - 45 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 4 pp. 4to, *Feby.* 20 (1839), to the same, on his speech in the House, with an amusing reference to "that silly Sir Francis Burdett"
 - 46 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 12 pp. 8vo (1839), interesting Letter on politics and society doings. Refers to Lord Lyndhurst's return
 - 47 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 8 pp. 8vo, *H. of C.* ½ past 4 (1839), to the same, on politics and accounts of dinners. He has moved a count-out in the House
 - 48 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 8 pp. 8vo, *Feb.* 1, 1839, to the same, on the Duke of Buckingham's affairs, Brougham's anger, and an accident to Earl Grey
 - 49 BEACONSFIELD (Earl of) A. L. s. (initial), 7½ pp. 8vo, *H. of C.* 1839, on a dinner at Sir F. Burdett's, and a good speech which he made afterwards in the House
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- 50 LAFAYETTE (General) A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Paris*, 28 *Août*, 1831, to M. Verdeau, *interesting letter* on the Polish cause, *with heading of united French and Polish flags*; and three L. s. *one with engraved heading, dated 10 Septembre, 1789*, s. also by Bailly, Maire de Paris (4)
 - 51 LAFAYETTE (General) A. L. s. 1¼ pp. 4to, *La Grange*, 7 *Avril*, 1827, to Mme. Tastu, *interesting letter* respecting his nomination to the Chamber of Deputies
 - 52 LAFAYETTE (General) A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *La Grange*, 11 *Janvier*, 1816
 - 53 LINNÉ (Karl von), called Linnaeus, Botanist, A. L. s. in Latin, 1 p. 4to, *Upsala*, 19 *Juin*, 1771, to Du Chesne, *scarce*
 - 54 LOUIS XI (King of France) L. s. 1 p. oblong folio, *Valence*, 31 *Mai* (no year), to the Bishop of Grenoble
 - 55 LOUIS XII (King of France) Royal Sign Manual to a Doc. on vellum, *Paris*, 16 *Novembre*, 1514
 - 56 LOUIS XVI (King of France) Doc. s. folio, 10 *Avril*, 1792.—LOUIS XVIII, A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, 1er *Juillet*, 1807; and L. s. of Louis, Duc de Bourgogne, grandson of Louis XIV, 1706 (3)
 - 57 MALIBRAN (Madame) Singer, A. L. s. 2½ pp. 8vo, 11 *Janvier*, 1832; others of Mme. Rachel and Fanny Elssler (3)
 - 58 MARGARET OF AUSTRIA (Duchess of Palma) natural daughter of Charles V, L. s. 1 p. folio, 31 *Mars*, 1563

- 59 MARIE DE MEDICIS (Queen of France) Doc. s. on vellum, 11 *Avril*, 1617
- 60 MARIE LOUISE (Empress) second wife of Napoleon, A. L. s. 2 pp. 8vo, *Parma*, 6 *Janvier*, 1840, to Le Chevalier de Foresté
- 61 MARIE THÉRÈSE (Queen) wife of Louis XIV, L. s. 1 p. folio, 25 *May*, 1672, countersigned by Colbert
- 62 MIRABEAU (H. de R.) Auto. MSS. signed "Mirabeau fils," 4 pp. 4to, being copies of four letters very closely written to his father, to Monsr. Dupuis (in which he wonders whether he will escape the storm, and conceals his hiding-place), to Monsr. de St. Maurice, and to the Marquis de Monnier, husband of Sophie, *all very interesting*
- 63 BARNAVE, opponent of Mirabeau, L. s. 2 pp. 4to, 1791
- 64 BARNAVE. Auto. MS. 2¼ pp. folio, on scientific subjects, with 5 pp. 4to in the autograph of his brother and sisters copied from his works
- 65 LAUNAY (Marquis de) Governor of the Bastille, massacred 14th *Juillet*, 1789. Statement of expenses as governor of the Bastille, signed "J. Launay," 2½ pp. folio, 1787
- 66 ANNE OF AUSTRIA. L. s. and sub. 1 p. large double folio, *May*, 1650, *with fine seal*, to the Pope respecting the Beatification of Jeanne Marie, founder of the Order of the Carmelites in France
- 67 BROWNING (Mrs.) A. L. s. "E. B. Barrett," 6½ pp. 12mo, 1845, a closely written and interesting letter respecting Harriet Martineau, clairvoyance, etc.
- 68 PERRAULT (Charles) author of "Contes des Fées," etc. Autograph order signed Perrault, ½ p. sm. 8vo oblong, 1672
- 69 QUEROUAILLE (Louise de, Duchess of Portsmouth) Doc. s. twice in full, 2 pp. folio, 1696
- 70 MENDELSSOHN-BARTHOLDY (Felix) Composer, A. L. s. in French, 1 p. 8vo, 29 *Dec.* 1831, to M. Baillot, thanking him for "le bonheur que vous me faites en me faisant entendre ma musique comme elle devrait être et non comme elle est."
- 71 MICHAEL-ANGELO BUONAROTTI. Fragment of a Design with some words in his autograph
- 72 MILLET (J. F.) French Painter, A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, *Vichy*, 4 *Juillet*, 1867, *scarce*
- 73 MIRABEAU (H. G. Riquetti, Comte de) A. L. s. ½ p. 8vo, to M. Gerard de Malci, Procureur au Parlement, *with view of his obsequies*
- 74 MORSE (Samuel F. B.) Inventor of the telegraphic code, A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *New York*, *June* 24, 1850, to F. Arago, *scarce*
- 75 MURAT (Joachim) King of Naples, A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Paris*, 10 *fructidor*, an 10, to the Minister of War about the employment of General Robin, *portrait*

- 76 MURAT (Joachim) L. s. "Joachim," 2 pp. 4to, *Dusseldorf*, 22 *Avril* (no year), with 2 portraits
- 77 NAPOLEON I. Signature "Bonaparte" to a notarial declaration respecting Josephine's first husband the Viscomte de Beauharnais, s. also by Josephine "Tascher Bonaparte," 2 pp. 4to, 13 *floreale*, an *six*, with portrait, a very interesting document
- 78 NAPOLEON I. L. s. 2 pp. folio (with engraved heading) when General-in-Chief of the Army of Italy, *Montebello*, 27 *preirail*, an 5, to Haller, important communication respecting the sums necessary for the payment of the divisions under his command
- 79 NAPOLEON I. Doc. s. as First Consul, on vellum, large folio, 15 *pluviose*, an 12, with seal

A SERIES OF LETTERS CHIEFLY ADDRESSED TO ELIZABETH
QUEEN OF BOHEMIA, DAUGHTER OF KING JAMES I.

- 80 MARY (Princess) daughter of Charles I, widow of William Prince of Orange and niece to Elizabeth Queen of Bohemia:
My going to meet the Queen at Dover hindered me from assuring your Matie sooner with how much joy I should see you here, in what I can contribute to your satisfaction your Matie may be confident, etc.
- 81 JAMES (Duke of York) afterwards James II, A. L. s. (incomplete), 1 p. 4to, to the same
- 82 CHARLOTTE, wife of Charles Louis Elector Palatine, eldest son of Elizabeth of Bohemia, interesting A. L. s. in French, 2 pp. 4to, *Heydelberg*, 1^s Dec. 1661^o. Her Majesty having wished to know what had been heard with regard to the marriage of the Duke of York, the advice from France and elsewhere spoke of it as a settled thing, and she was surprised that Her Majesty doubted it. She scarcely knew what to think of it, since it was said the Queen of England had taken such pains to dispose her son the King to the marriage with the Cardinal's niece Mlle. Hortense as to promise Chancellor Hyde to recognize and avow his daughter as Duchess of York and her daughter-in-law, if he could persuade His Majesty to the marriage, etc.
- 83 ELIZABETH, afterwards Abbess of Heervorden, daughter of the Queen of Bohemia, A. L. s. 2½ pp. 4to, *Herfort*, 31st of Oct. apparently to Lord Craven
- 84 LOUISA HOLLANDIA, second daughter of the Queen of Bohemia, A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to, *Manbuisson*, 8 *July*, to Elizabeth of Bohemia
- 85 LOUISA HOLLANDIA. A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to (incomplete), 1660, to the same

- 86 EDWARD (Count Palatine) son of Elizabeth Queen of Bohemia, A. L. s. (initial), 2 pp. 4to, *3rd May* (1656), to the same. Interesting letter respecting a service at Notre Dame for the late King of Portugal, etc.
- 87 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. s. (initial), 2 pp. 4to, to the same (*Oct.* 1660). He does not know whether the Council would like to see Prince Rupert in England, not one of whose friends was in power, etc.
- 88 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. s. (initial), 3 pp. 4to, *London*, 18 *Nov.* 1660, to the same. He has received H.M.'s letter. The King was very kind to him. As to her nephew's affair, that was but too true and it was not in the King's power to break off the marriage. It was a great folly, etc.
- 89 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. s. (initial), 2 pp. 4to, *St. James'*, 4 *Dec.* 1660, to the same, advising her to come to England to plead her own cause, etc.
- 90 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. 2½ pp. 4to, 6 *Jan.* 1660⁹, to the same, in reference to the Duke of York's marriage and the necessity for silence on the subject
- 91 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. s. (initial), 4 pp. 4to, *Paris*, 25 *Mars*, 1661, to the same. Interesting letter referring to Prince Rupert, the King's coronation, etc.
- 92 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. s. (initial), 2 pp. 4to, *Anijer*, 18 *May* (1661), to the same. The Parliament was about to meet. There was great talk of the splendour at London at the Coronation, etc.
- 93 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. s. (initial), 2 pp. 4to, *Anijer*, 31 *May* (1661), to the same, congratulating her on her arrival in England, etc.
- 94 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. s. (initial), 3 pp. 4to, *Anijer*, 21 *Juin* (1661), to the same, on the quarrel between the Duke of Buckingham and the Duchess of York, etc.
- 95 EDWARD (Count Palatine) A. L. 2½ pp. 4to, *Paris*, 26 *July* (1661), to the same, chiefly on points of etiquette at the English Court
- 96 SOPHIA (Electress) youngest daughter of Elizabeth, Queen of Bohemia and mother of King George I, A. L. 1½ pp. 4to, *Heydelberg*, 19⁹ *May*, to the same
- 97 SOPHIA (Electress) A. L. 2 pp. 4to, *Hanover*, 27⁷ *Juillet*, 1660, to the same, refers to her son afterwards George I, etc.
- 98 SOPHIA (Electress) A. L. 3 pp. 4to, *Hanover*, 30 *d'Aoust*, 1660, to the same, referring to English politics, Prince Rupert, etc.
- 99 SOPHIA (Electress) A. L. s. (initial), 2½ pp. 4to, *Heydelberg*, 29 *Aug.*/8 *Sept.*, respecting the movements of the Elector, etc.

- 100 SOPHIA (Electress) A. L. s. (initial), 2½ pp. 4to, *Heydelberg*, 25 Oct. / 4 Nov. 1660, to the same, referring to Lady Craven, etc.
 - 101 SOPHIA (Electress) A. L. 3 pp. 4to, *Hanover*, 8/18 Nov. 1660, to the same, referring to the marriage of the Duke of York to Anne Hyde
 - 102 SOPHIA (Electress) A. L. 1½ pp. 4to, *Hanover*, 20/30 Dec. 1660, to the same
 - 103 CATHERINE SOPHIA, sister-in-law to Elizabeth of Bohemia, A. L. s. 3 pp. 4to, to the same, referring to Prince Maurice returning to India as Governor, etc.
 - 104 DERBY (Charlotte de la Trémoille, Countess of), held Lathom House against the Parliamentarians, A. L. s. 3 pp. 4to, 23 Sept. 1660, to the same, refers to Prince Rupert, etc., *with seals and silks, a rare autograph*
 - 105 AMELIA (Princess of Tarento) sister of Charlotte Electress Palatine, A. L. s. (initial), 3 pp. 4to, *Thouars*, 15 Oct. 1660, to the same, condoling with H.M. on the death of the Duke of Gloucester, etc.
 - 106 AMELIA, wife of Henry Frederick, Prince of Orange, A. L. s. 3 pp. 4to, *Cleve*, 21 May, 1660, to the same
 - 107 ALBERTINA, daughter of Henry Frederick, Prince of Orange, A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to, to the same
 - 108 FREDERICK (Count Palatine) nephew to Elizabeth of Bohemia, d. 1661, A. L. 4 pp. 4to, to the same
 - 109 FREDERICK LOUIS (Count Palatine) A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to, *Landsberg*, 30 April, 1661, to the same, refers to the marriage of Charles II with Catherine of Braganza, etc.
 - 110 VARIOUS LETTERS, addressed to the same, by Anne, Countess of Balcarres, and others (6)
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- 111 NAPOLEON I. L. s. "N." 1 p. 4to, *Amsterdam*, 20 Octobre, 1811, respecting his departure from Amsterdam for Naarden at 7 o'clock in the morning, *portrait*
 - 112 NAPOLEON I. Signature "Nap. approuvé" to a Rapport addressed to him, 1 p. folio, *Paris*, 26 Novembre, 1810
 - 113 NAPOLEON I. L. s. 2½ pp. folio (*with fine engraved heading*), when General-in-Chief of the army of Italy, 15 Vendémiaire, an 6, to the Directoire Exécutif de la République Cisalpine, *important communication*, respecting the "absurd pretentions of the House of Austria"
 - 114 NAPOLEON I. L. s. "Nap." 1 p. 4to, *Bamberg*, 7 Octobre, 1806, to General Loison, *important letter* respecting the despatch of troops and the regiments which compose the corps d'armée of Marshal Bernadotte

- 115 NAPOLEON I. Signature as First Consul to a Brevet on parchment with engraved heading, folio, *St. Cloud, 21 Prairial, an 11*
- 116 NAPOLEON I. Signature as First Consul to a similar Document, *St. Cloud, 5 Prairial, an 11*
- 117 NAPOLEON I. Signature to an Agreement for the sale of an estate by Felix Bacciochi, Prince de Piombino, to the Emperor, 4 pp. folio, *signed by both, Malmaison, 2 Germinal, an 13*
- 118 NAPOLEON I. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *with engraved heading, Paris, 7 Thermidor, an 8, to La Rochefoucauld Liancourt*
- 119 NAPOLEON I. L. s. "Bonaparte," 1 p. folio, *Paris, 18 Frimaire, an 4, interesting communication, when General of the Army of the Interior, asking for plans of Paris to be sent to him, countersigned by Rondelet, with seal*
- 120 ADAMS (John) Second President of the United States, A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Paris, Decr. 19, 1782*
- 121 AUGUSTA (Empress of Germany) A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, *Baden, 27 Oct. 1891*
- 122 BALDASSINUS (J. B.) Archbishop, A. L. s. 1 p. folio, 1511, *seal, rare*
- 123 BELLARMIN (Rob.) Cardinal, A. L. s. 2 pp. folio, *seal, fine letter*
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 It pleases God to carry on His work in every part of the nation, although in some places in a more especial manner, particularly in Yorkshire, etc.
- 348 HENRY (Rev. Mathew) A. L. s. (initials), 1 p. 4to; Sermon in his Autograph; A. L. of Rev. Philip Henry; and Conclusion of an A. L. s. of Porson (4)
- 349 WALPOLE (Horace, Earl of Orford), *Virtuoso*, A. L. s. $\frac{1}{2}$ p. 4to, *Strawberry Hill, June 24, 1756, portrait*
- 350 BURGHLEY (W. Cecil, Lord) Two Docs. s. folio and 4to.—ROCHESTER (L. Hyde, Earl of) A. L. s. $1\frac{1}{2}$ pp. 4to, *Bath, 26 July, 1675* (3)
- 351 BURNS (Robert) Verse of four lines in his Autograph, addressed to Riddell, *portrait*
 To Riddell, much lamented Man,
 This ivied cot was dear:
 Wanderer, dost value matchless worth!
 This ivied cot revere.
- 352 BYRON (Lord) Manuscript in his Autograph, 4 pp. 4to, "Note to the lines where Capel Lofft is mentioned," AN EXTREMELY INTERESTING BYRON MS., written in reference to the allusion to Lofft in "Hints from Horace," line 734, "The Cobbler-Laureate sings of Capel Lofft!" it commences:
 . This well-meaning Gentleman has spoilt some excellent Shoemakers, and been accessory to the poetical undoing of many of the industrious poor. Nathaniel Bloomfield and his brother Bobby have set all Somersetshire singing; nor has the malady confined itself to one county, etc.
 GUICCIOLI (Countess) A. L. 3rd person, 2 pp. 8vo, *Parigi, 6 Marzo, 1837, portrait* (2)
- 353 TENNYSON (Alfred, Lord) A. Note s. 1 p. 8vo, *Farringford, Oct. 5, 1860*—MOORE (T.) A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Sloperton, Nov. 7, 1828*—CAMPBELL (T.) Autograph Verses, *with portrait* (3)
- 354 CARLYLE (T.) Autograph Verses s. 12 *Augt.* 1860, commencing:
 There was a Piper had a cow,
 And he had nocht to give her,
 He took his pipes and played a spring,
 And bade the cow consider.
 A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, of Charles Dickens to R. Bentley, and A. L. s. of Theodore Hook (3)

- 355 THACKERAY (W. M.) A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, *Friday*, 36, *Onslow Sq.*, to Mrs. Bacon, "My 'card trick' is one of the cleverest I have ever performed, but where can the card be that was written to Mr. and Mrs. Bacon and Miss Bacon."—MACAULAY (Lord) A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, *Albany*, October 24, 1851 (2)
- 356 BROWNING (E. B.) and ROBERT BROWNING. A very interesting Letter, their joint composition, 8 pp. 8vo, and s. "Ba" and "Robert Browning," *Paris, Hôtel de Londres, Sunday*, to Miss Bayley, speaks of her improved health, the courtesy of the Parisians, "this sad story about Dickens and his wife—Incompatibility of temper after twenty-three years of married life! What a plea!" Alludes to Adelaide Proctor's poems, Francis Newman's Theism, Miss Cobb's "Intuitive Morals," etc. Her husband, in his part of the letter, refers to Mrs. Jameson, Lady Elgin, little Pen, etc.
- 357 HUNT (Leigh) A. L. s. 4 pp. 8vo, *Hammersmith*, August 16, 1856, others of W. Harrison Ainsworth, M. R. Mitford, and Edmund Yates (4)
- 358 WIELAND (C. M.) German Poet, A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Ostmanstütt*, 22 *Marz*, 1801, others of Victor Hugo, Berenger, Talma, and a short Auto. Note s. by Voltaire (5)
- 359 SCHILLER (J. F. C. von) German Poet, A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, 1801, to Goethe
- 360 GOETHE (J. W. von) German Poet, Signature to an Agreement, 2 pp. folio, *Weimar*, 1819, to Dr. Weller of Jena, *with seal*
- 361 LOCKE (John) A. L. s. (initials) 2½ pp. 4to, in French, *Londres*, 29 *Oct.* 1679, to M. Toimard of Paris, long and interesting letter in reference to his Works and to scientific observations
- 362 LIEBIG (J. Baron von) Chemist, A. L. s. 4 pp. 8vo, *Munich*, 19 *April*, 1855, others of Sir H. Davy, M. Faraday, and an Auto-graph Receipt s. of J. Flamsteed, the Astronomer, *portraits* (4)
- 363 FULTON (Robert) American Engineer, A. L. s. 3½ pp. 4to, *Paris*, 4th *Feby.* 1802, *fine and rare letter*, endorsed "Letter from R. Fulton respecting his idea of preventing marine war and eventually all war, which was introduced in the House of Lords by Lord Stanhope and excited much ridicule," *with portrait*
- 364 KEMPENFELT (R.) Admiral, Signature to a Memorandum respecting signals, *Victory*, 3 *Nov.* 1779.—SMITH (Sir W. Sidney) A. L. s. 4 pp. 4to, 1806, relative to the military operations of the Prince of Hesse, and Doc. s. by St. Vincent and Troubridge, *portraits* (3)
- 365 NELSON (Lord) Order s. "Nelson and Bronte," 2 pp. folio, directing a survey to be made of the "Amazon," *portrait*
- 366 BLÜCHER (Marshal) L. s. 1 p. folio, 1 *August*, 1813; L. s. of General Sacken, and Autograph Memorandum by the Duke of Wellington, *portraits* (3)

- 367 ABERCROMBY (Sir Ralph) General, A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to, *Edinburgh, March 27th, 1800.*—WELLINGTON (Duke of) A. L. 3rd person, 1 p. 8vo, *March 21st, 1830, portraits* (2)
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- 375 LISLE (Alice) beheaded at Winchester for sheltering Monmouth's supporters. Her signature and that of her husband John Lisle to a Conveyance on vellum of certain lands between Blachford and Ringwood, 10th February, 1652, a rare signature
- 376 INCHIUIN (Lord) L. s. 2 pp. folio, *London, July 29, 1665* :
 I know you have an accompt of the heads of the charges brought in against my Lord Chancellor, by my lord of Bristoll, which certainly hurt only the latter, etc.
 A long letter to Sir Richard Fanshawe on political events in England and the progress of the French Army in Lorraine
- 377 PRIVY COUNCIL LETTER to John Browne and William Hill, Justices of the Peace for Co. Middlesex, enclosing warrants for apprehending the parties whom they have returned as refusing to pay Coat-and-Conduct Money (a military charge), advising them to begin with "the most able and most refractory" of the delinquents, 1 p. folio, 13 July, 1640. This interesting letter is signed by Archbishop Laud, W. Juxon Bishop of London, T. Wentworth Earl of Strafford, the Earls of Manchester, Arundel, Pembroke and others
- 378 TURNER (J. M. W.) A. L. s. 3 pp. 4to, *Piazzi Mignanilli, Rome, Dec. 1828*, to Sir T. Lawrence, an interesting letter of unusual length referring to the Sistine Chapel, etc. :
 . . . The Sistine Chapel Sybils and Prophets of the ceiling are as grand, magnificent and overwhelming to contemplate as ever, but the Last Judgment has suffered much by scraping and cleaning, etc.
- 379 WILLIAM IV (King) A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *May 3, 1822*.—A. L. s. from the Duke of Wellington to Sir T. Lawrence ; and Signature of W. Pitt (3)
- 380 Printed Ballads and Broad-sides, *some scarce* ; A Turkish Firman, *on vellum* ; etc. *a parcel*
- 381 WILLIAM IV (King) Twelve A. L. s. 4to, *St. James's, August 6, 1820*, etc., to Admiral Vincent, respecting his sons ; also A. L. s. from his son G. Fitzclarence, Earl of Munster, *Calcutta, July 13, 1815, interesting letter written while serving in India* ; etc. (17)
- 382 LOG BOOK of H.M.S. "Revenge," 74 guns, 1806-7, Captain Sir John Gore, alluding to several ships engaged at Trafalgar, and to the surrender of the enemy's ships and prisoners 4to
- 383 PARCHMENT DOCUMENT, *temp.* Charles I, with part of the Great Seal attached ; a number of Assignats ; A. L. of the Duke of Wellington ; others of Admiral Lord Hood, Lord Brougham, Sir R. Peel, etc. *a parcel*

- 384 FRANKS, a large Collection arranged (with Index) in 2 vol. 4to, *half morocco* (2)
- 385 NELSON (Lord) Miniature Portrait, in naval uniform, with the ribbon of the Order of the Bath

The Property of a Lady.

- 386 NELSON (Lord) A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to, *July 29th, 1801*, AN EXTREMELY FINE AND INTERESTING LETTER addressed to Emma Lady Hamilton, *with seal*:

My dearest Emma, Your letter of yesterday naturally called forth all those finer feelings of the soul which none but those who regard each other as you and I do can conceive, although I am not able to write so well and so forcibly mark my feelings as you can, yet I am sure I feel all the affection which is possible for man to feel towards *Woman* and such a Woman.

Not one moment I have to myself and my business is endless, at noon I set off for Faversham to arrange the Sea fensibles on that part of the Coast, at 9 o'clock I expect to be at Deal to arrange with Adm. Lutwidge various matters, and to-morrow evening or next day morning to sail for the Coast of France that I may judge from my own eye and not from those of others. Be where I may, you are always present to my thoughts, not another thing except the duty I owe my Country can interfere with you, you absorb my whole soul, etc.

* * This letter, written when Nelson was about to sail for the coast of France to inspect the preparations Napoleon was making to invade England, *is apparently unpublished*. It appears neither in the "Nelson Despatches and Letters," the "Letters to Lady Hamilton," nor in Mahon's "Life of Nelson."

Other Properties.

- 387 NELSON (Lord) A. L. s. (with his right hand), 3 pp. 4to, *Feb. 28th, 1790*, to John R. Herbert of Nevis, interesting letter referring to the Slave Trade Committee of the House of Commons and the effect which abolition may have in the W. Indies. Speaks of Mrs. Nelson and his stepson, and concludes:

... it seems generally thought our close connection with Prussia will involve us in a War very soon and a fleet is expected to be sent up the Baltic this Summer to keep the Russians from hurting the Swedes, and the Danes quiet.

- 388 VICTORIA (Queen) Five A. L. (third person), respecting Appointments, the Prorogation of Parliament, etc., 1841-3 (5)

- 389 VICTORIA (Queen) Five A. L. (third person) on various subjects, the Bishop of Ely is to do homage, etc., 1845-55 (5)
- 390 ALBERT (Prince) Two A. L. s. each 1 p. 8vo, with embossed gold headings, respecting the audiences of Peers, etc. (2)
- 391 ALBERT (Prince) A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, *Windsor Castle, Jan. 20, 1854*, respecting Adm. Dundas's letters; also two incomplete A. L. s. (3)
- 392 WELLINGTON (Duke of) Four A. L. s. each 1 p. 8vo, on political topics, *July 27, 1845*.—LOUIS PHILIPPE (King of France) A. L. s. as Duke of Orleans, 2½ pp. 8vo; A. L. s. (*incomplete*) (6)
- 393 WELLINGTON (Duke of) A. L. s. "Arthur Wellesley," 1½ pp. 4to, *Dublin, April 9, 1806, an extremely interesting letter*, asking for employment in active service:
 My dear General/ Reports are in circulation in this town that it is probable that another Army will shortly be sent to the Continent and notwithstanding the event which is likely to take place in this Town in a day or two, I am just as anxious as ever I was to be one of the party. I was infinitely obliged to His Royal Highness for having thought of me upon the last occasion and I thought it not improbable that he would think of me on the next, but I write to you now lest it should be imagined that the alteration of my situation has diminished my inclination to be employed on Foreign Service.
- 394 WELLINGTON (Duke of) A. L. (third person), 1 p. 4to, *April 5th, 1828*, respecting General McKenzie; and two other Letters referring to the same subject, *portrait* (3)
- 395 WELLINGTON (Duke of) A. L. s. 3 pp. 8vo, *Dec. 1, 1834*, to C. C. Greville; Certificates relative to the Waterloo Prize Money, etc. (6)
- 396 GLADSTONE (Rt. Hon. W. E.) Series of five A. L. s. 14 pp. 8vo, *Hawarden, Dec. 17, 1879*, to Mr. Leake; one is a very interesting letter in reference to a request which has been made him to use any influence he may possess with some of the Christian races in the Levant to procure a favourable treatment of the Jews in the Provinces which have attained to self-government (5)
- 397 COBDEN (R.) Four A. L. s. to W. M. Cristy, and five A. L. s. of John Bright addressed to the same; one interesting respecting the Russian proposals at the Congress of Vienna, *April 23, '78* (9)
- 398 NORTON (Lord, Right Hon. Sir Charles Adderley, K.C.M.G., M.P., 1814-1905) Statesman and Philanthropist, by W. S. Childe-Pemberton, *portraits and illustrations, with Thirty-nine fine Autograph Letters, many being the originals, only partly printed in this volume, including Letters of John Bright, Lord Lytton, Lord Derby, 6 pp. (confidential), Lord Salisbury, Phelps (American Minister), Cardinal Manning, Governor Eyre, 4 pp., many marked "Private and Confidential"* Murray, 1909

- 399 TOLSTOY (Count Leo) Russian Novelist, A. L. s. 2½ pp. in English, April 2, 1898 [*N. S.*], to F. M. Fortey, with auto. addressed envelope, about his appeal to the English and American public on behalf of the Doukhobors; with two Notes from Mr. Aylmer Maude about the letter and authenticating the writing:

I have written . . . to the Russian papers but am afraid that the Russian censure will not allow it to appear and have also sent an appeal to the English and American society—to my friends in Essex. . . asking them to translate my letter and send it to the Times and New York Herald, etc.

The Property of a Gentleman.

- 400 HEINE (Heinrich) German Poet and Satirist, 1799-1856, Auto. armen

Poem "~~Die schlesischen~~ (*sic*) Weber," 1 p. folio, 20 lines and 4 lines erased

* * This poem, as printed in Heine's Collected Works (21 vol., *Hamburg*, 1861-6, vol. XVII, p. 277) is entitled *Die Weber*, and has an additional verse, the last verse of the MS. being altered and expanded into two; the first two lines of the second verse of the MS. are also quite different from the printed version.

- 401 HEINE (Heinrich) Three Auto. Poems: "Ein schöner Stern geht auf in meiner Nacht," 8 lines (*ed. cit.*, vol. XVI, p. 252), *crossed through, but still quite legible*; "Psyche," 12 lines (*ib.*, vol. XVI, p. 290); "Ali Bey," 24 lines (*ib.*, vol. XVI, p. 289); in all 44 lines on 2 pp. folio

* * The first of these poems is included in *Verschiedene*, 1832-9, under the heading *Katharina*, the second and third in *Romanzen*, 1839-42. The MS. of the three poems was probably written out for some later collection, as it has a heading "Gedichte von H. Heine" erased.

- 402 HEINE (Heinrich) Two Auto. Poems: "Warnung," 12 lines, beginning "Solche Bücher lässt du drucken" (*ed. cit.*, vol. XVII, p. 233); and Testament, 16 lines, *crossed through, but still perfectly legible*; in all 28 lines on 1½ pp. 4to

* * We quote the first verse of the second poem:

Ich mache jetzt mein Testament,
Es geht nun bald mit mir zu End
Nur wundre ich mich, dass nicht schon längstens
Mein Herz gebrochen von Gram und Aengstens.

- 403 HEINE (Heinrich) Four Auto. Poems, 40 lines, 2 pp. 8vo, headed respectively V, VI, VII and VIII: "Wälderfreie Nachtigallen," 12 lines; "O, du kanntest Köch und Küche," 8 lines; "O, die Liebe macht uns selig!" 12 lines; "Der weite Boden ist überzogen," 8 lines

* * The first of these is included in *Neue Gedichte*, in the section

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headed *Klarissa*; the last three in the "*Buch der Lieder*," in the section entitled "*Junge Leiden*," under the heading "*Zum Polterabend*," being three out of the four poems under this heading.

- 404 HEINE (Heinrich) Auto. Poem, "Gegen den Königsmord," 24 lines (with a variant of the third verse, 28 lines in all), 1½ pp. 4to

* * A slightly different version of this sarcastic poem on the differences between the Roman temperament and the German is printed under the heading "*Zur Beruhigung*" in "*Zeitgedichte*" (no. 26); that version consists of 32 lines. The fourth verse of the manuscript runs:

Ein Brutus wird nimmer bei uns ersteln
Und wenn er erstände, so werdet Ihr sehn,
Vergeblich wird er den Cäsar suchen
Wir haben gute Pfefferkuchen.

- 405 HEINE (Heinrich) Auto. Poem, 12 lines, ½ p. 8vo, beginning "O des feilgen Jugendmuthes"

Other Properties.

- 406 SCOTT (Sir W.) A. L. s. 1 p. 4to, *Edinburgh*, 30 June:
... I do not design to be at Abbotsford unless for a single day until the beginning of August as I am going to Ireland and my family are about to disperse themselves like the Jews of old, some to the sea side, others to the Highlands, etc.
- 407 LITERARY, including F. Locker-Lampson, Lord Lytton, G. A. Sala, J. H. Shorthouse, W. Barnes, the Dorset Poet (2), M. R. Mitford, Jeremy Bentham, etc. (9)
- 408 MORRIS (William) A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, *April* 14, 1868; others of Hannah More, B. W. Procter and Martin F. Tupper (4)
- 409 AMHERST (Lord) Commander-in-Chief in N. America, A. L. s. 2 pp. 4to, *Whitehall*, 19th *Jan.* 1782—SMITH (Admiral Sir W. Sidney) A. L. s. 4 pp. 4to, *Aug.* 31, 1806, interesting letter to Sir Hudson Lowe, *with portrait* (2)
- 410 WELLINGTON (Duke of) A. L. s. 3 pp. 8vo, *June* 15, 1836; others of Sir G. Baden-Powell and Lord Wolseley (3)
- 411 GLADSTONE (Rt. Hon. W. E.) A. L. s. 4 pp. 8vo, *Whitehall*, *Decr.* 15, 1841, *interesting letter*, respecting the contest at Oxford
- 412 NORTH (Lord) Premier, A. L. s. 4 pp. 4to, *Downing St.*, *June* 2, 1772.—O'CONNELL (Daniel) Lines in his autograph s. "Erin-go-bragh," 21 *June*, 1838, *portrait*; others of Lord Palmerston, Lord Randolph Churchill, etc. (5)

- 413 BEACONSFIELD (B. Disraeli, Earl of) A. L. s. "Beaconsfield," *Hughenden Manor*, Decr. 28, 1880, *interesting letter* to T. G. Heath on the condition of the peasantry, etc.—MACAULAY (Lord) A. L. s. 2 pp. 8vo, *Albany*, April 17, 1850 (2)
- 414 FRANKLIN (Sir John) Arctic Explorer, A. L. s. 1 p. 8vo, to Lord Goodrich; others of Sir H. M. Stanley to Lady Franklin, Humboldt, and three interesting Letters relative to Gordon in the Soudan, etc. (6)
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- I have every reason also to be happy, blessed as I am by having zealous and good young officers and an active well disposed crew each of whom appears to be ardent in the service we are upon . . . the transport sails for England today, and I think we shall also proceed Nothwards in the night, or early tomorrow morning, etc.
- Franklin's ships were spoken to for the last time by an Aberdeen whaler off the entrance to Lancaster Sound on 26 July, before they disappeared into the Unknown; with some other Papers relating to the Kendall family (30)
- 416 ROSS (Sir John) Arctic Explorer, Manuscript Diary of his last Voyage in search of Sir John Franklin, 1850-1, a most interesting Manuscript in his autograph contained in "Harwood's Diary" of 1850, and continued during the year 1851. *This is apparently the only record of the last voyage of Sir John Ross, AND IS UNPUBLISHED*
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- 418 LIVINGSTONE (Dr. D.) A. L. s. 4 full pp. 4to, *Claremont*, 21st Oct. 1856, to Mrs. Bruce, *fine letter*, referring to his discovery of Lake Ngami and to Mr. Alfred Rider, who had made a fine drawing of Koloberg, but afterwards succumbed to an attack of fever
- 419 LIVINGSTONE (Dr. D.) A. L. s. 2½ pp. 8vo, 29 Feb'y. 1864, respecting the fitting up of a boat, etc.
- 420 NEWMAN (J. H.) Cardinal, A. L. s. 2 pp. 8vo, Nov. 10, 1867; others of W. Romaine, Bishop Colenso, Dean Milman, Rev. Rowland Hill, etc. (7)
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- 427 ROSSETTI (D. G.) Poet and Painter, A. L. s. 4 pp. 8vo, May 9th, 1871, to Dr. Westland Marston, with addressed envelope:
 . . . Miller told me he had heard several times from Swinburne in the country, who seems pretty well but not at work again yet. It seems he proposes reviewing Miller in the Fortnightly.
- 428 SCOTT (Sir Walter) A. L. s. 1½ pp. 4to, *Edinburgh*, 23 June, 1827 (a few words erased) on the subject of second sight among the Scottish folk, etc.
- 429 BURDETT (Sir Francis) Politician, Ten A. L. s. 4to and 8vo, *with portrait* (10)
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- 432 MEREDITH (George) A. L. s. 1½ pp. 8vo, *Sep.* 14, 1908, to Mr. E. Scott, with auto. addressed envelope :
It is good on the part of a reader that he should let a writer know of his having been of some service, for he can have no greater reward for such work as he has done.
- 433 MEREDITH (G.) A. L. s. 2 pp. 8vo, *Box Hill, undated* :
Where eulogy runs high the subject of it is tasked to make a fitting response. But you have a note of fervency and there is evidence of the close reading of my work, etc.
- 434 LANG (Andrew) Four A. L. s. 7 pp. 8vo, *Nov.* 20, 1903, *etc.*, concerning some Jacobite papers (4)
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CHORUS:

And why should na poor people mow, mow, mow,
And why should na poor people mow,
The great folk hae siller and houses and land,
Poor bodies hae naething but mow.

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LOT 480—*continued.*

Out over the Rhine proud Prussia wad shine,
 To spend his best blood he did vow ;
 But Frederic had better ne'er forded the water
 But spent as he docht in a mow.

By sea and by shore the Emperor swore,
 In Paris he'd kick up a rowe ;
 But Paris sae ready, just laugh at the laddie,
 And bade him gae tak' him a mow.

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